Amendments to the Claims

- 1. (currently amended) A fired refractory shaped part, the structure of which
 - a) comprises at least 75 wt. % of a pre-fired refractory secondary material with a grain size up to 3 mm and
 - b) has a pore volume between 10 and 30% that, after firing of the shaped part, was at least partially filled with a carbon containing material,
 - c) the pore distribution of which is such that at least two maximums result if pore diameters are plotted (logarithmically) as a function of relative open porosity or pore distribution, wherein
 - e) d) the carbon content, referred to the shaped part, amounts to > 3 wt.%.
- 2. (original) The shaped part according to Claim 1, the secondary material of which is present in a grain size fraction d_{50} of < 1 mm.
- 3. (original) The shaped part according to Claim 1 with an open pore volume between 20 and 30% before the filling with a material containing carbon.
- 4. (original) The shaped part according to Claim 1, the carbon content of which amounts to > 5 wt.%.
- 5. (original) The shaped part according to Claim 1, the secondary material of which comprises at least 90 wt.% ZrO₂.

- 6. (original) The shaped part according to Claim 1, the secondary material of which comprises of stabilized, partially stabilized, pseudo-stabilized ZrO₂ or mixtures thereof.
- 7. (currently amended) The shaped part according to Claim 1 with an open porosity between 4.5 and 7.5 vol.% after the filling with the material containing carbon and the subsequent tempering process the carbon containing material was filled into the pore volume and a subsequent tempering process being performed.
- 8. (original) The shaped part according to Claim 1, the structure of which comprises 5-25 wt.% of a refractory primary material.
- 9. (original) The shaped part according to Claim 8, the primary material of which corresponds to the secondary material mineralogically, chemically or mineralogically and chemically.
- 10. (original) The shaped part according to Claim 8 or 9, the primary material of which is present in a grain size fraction of < 0.3 mm.
- 11. (original) The shaped part according to Claim 1, the secondary material of which is a recycled material.
- 12. (canceled)

13. (currently amended) The shaped part according to Claim 1 Claim 12, wherein a first maximum lies below 5 μ m and a second maximum lies above 8 μ m.